





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Keller, et al.

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Title

Methods and Compositions for Modifying Levels of

Secondary Metabolic Compounds in Plants

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Examiner

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows, without prejudice or disclaimer.

A Petition and fee for a three-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a) are submitted herewith.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 34-38, 40-46 and 48-80.

Please add the following new claims 81-98.

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